

CUBS SNEAKING NEARER GIANTS

TODAY CHICAGO IS JUST 21 POINTS LEeward OF N. Y.

PITTSBURGH "WAY BACK"

Philadelphia Increases Lead Over the Troit—Third Place Fight Grows Warm.

Chicago drew slightly closer to New York yesterday in the fight race for the National League baseball pennant, Chicago, by winning from St. Louis, gained four points, and is now 21 points behind New York, which was not scheduled to play. Pittsburgh was idle because of rain, and today is 23 points in the rear of Chicago. The standing of the first division teams is:

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	76	45	.628
Chicago	71	46	.607
Pittsburgh	73	53	.579
Philadelphia	65	57	.533

In the American League race, Philadelphia easily disposed of Washington and increased its lead over Detroit by three points to a total of 15. Main Road Detroit still holds the leadership but the third place is proving a warm contest. New York occupies the place today, winning from Boston and breaking the tie with the Cleveland team which did not play. The first division standing is:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	44	44	.648
Detroit	37	49	.527
New York	37	49	.527
Cleveland	36	49	.524

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Tinker Tinkered Well.
Chicago, Ill., Sept. 5.—In a game in which Tinker was easily the star because of his brilliant holding, Chicago won.

The score—
Chicago.....3 5 4
St. Louis.....2 5 1
Batteries: Brown and Needham; Harmon and Bliss.

E. Cub Does Some Pitching.
Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 5.—Inability to hit Curtis, the twirler recently secured by Philadelphia from Chicago, caused Brooklyn's downfall.

The score—
Philadelphia.....8 11 0
Brooklyn.....0 2 3
Batteries: Curtis and Madden; Burke, Ragan and Irwin.

Postscript.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, postponed on account of rain.
Only three games scheduled.

PRINCESS Theater

"THE HOME OF PHOTO PLAYS."

Today Is Reliance Day

"Temptation"

An incident that forms a powerful lesson to anyone about to yield to temptation.

THREE REELS DAILY.

Illustrated Song.

The coolest and most military Theater in Tulsa.

Strictly Union Orchestra.



Nothing like grasping the situation when an opening presents itself.
This Selig did when he produced the world famous masterpiece,

"THROUGH FIRE AND SMOKE."

This great picture will be seen at the Empire today.

DON'T FAIL TO SEE IT!

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Three Straight for Highlanders.
Boston, Mass., Sept. 5.—New York made it three straight from Boston. The score—
New York.....4 8 1
Batteries: Thomas Hall and Nune-maker; Caldwell and Blair.

Easy for Champs.
Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 5.—Hunched hits off the delivery of Cashion and Becker gave the home team an easy victory over Washington.

The score—
Washington.....4 4 2
Philadelphia.....10 13 1
Batteries: Cashion, Becker and Henry; Krause and Thomas, Lott.

Postscript.
Detroit at St. Louis, postponed.

AMERICAN ASSO'N.

At Kansas City—
Kansas City-Milwaukee game postponed, rain.

At St. Paul—
St. Paul 5-0 Minneapolis 2-10.

At Toledo—
Toledo 3, Columbus 2.

At Indianapolis—
Indianapolis 5, Louisville 2.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

At Des Moines—
Des Moines 10, St. Joseph 14.

At Lincoln—
Lincoln 9, Denver 3.

At Omaha—
Omaha 9, Sioux City 2.

SOUTHERN ASSO'N.

At Atlanta—
Atlanta 4-1, Memphis 7-2.

At Birmingham—
Birmingham 8, Mobile 7.

Only two games.

ATHLETIC CLUB MAY BE FORMED IN TULSA

Tulsa may have boxing exhibitions this winter. If the plans of certain well known sporting men in Oklahoma and Arkansas are carried out.

They will be "boxing exhibitions" strictly. It is said, and no prize fights will be permitted.

The plan is to organize and incorporate an Athletic Club. Bouts will then be staged every week by this club, to which only bona-fide members of the organization will be admitted.

No admission fee will be charged and no purse offered the fighters or money wagered on the result.

The fighters will be paid a regular salary such as would be paid a boxing instructor in the club.

The proposed club will have quarters on the upper floor of a large downtown building, which will be fitted out with all sorts of gymnasium paraphernalia.

The head of the club will be one of the most successful athletic directors and promoters of ring contests in the Southwest—a man who established an enviable reputation in that line on the Pacific coast before coming to Oklahoma.

While prize fights are being almost weekly in Ardmore, McAlester, Bartlesville, Coalgate, and many other towns in the state, without opposition or remonstrance from the local or state authorities, it has been definitely decided by the promoters of the new Tulsa Athletic Association that the ultimate issued by District Judge L. M. Poe and Governor Lee C. Gray on the occasion of the stopping of the Morris-Flynn fight last July, is final, and means positively that nothing resembling a violation of the state prize fight law will be permitted here.

The purpose of the new club will be to attempt a clever evasion of this law by misrepresentation. It is reported, but the sole intent will be to furnish patrons of the club legalized boxing contests of a high class nature.

District Judge L. M. Poe in his instructions to the last Tulsa County grand jury, utterly censured the so-called "boxing exhibitions" that had been held here, and publicly called them "prize-fights" and violations of the law.

The victory of Frank Gotch, the "Shoulton" wrestler, over George Hackenschmidt, at Chicago Monday afternoon, has served to fix the Morris-Flynn fight in the minds of Tulsa's interested in sporting scenes. There were many Hackenschmidt supporters in Tulsa, as elsewhere about the country, and when they read the news of Gotch's easy victory they decided that they were mighty poor guessers. The result was the few here who had been picking Flynn to win over Morris in New York on September 15, thought it wise to switch their choice to the Oklahoma lad, for luck, if nothing else.

Very little money was lost on the Gotch-Hackenschmidt affair, however in Tulsa, because Tulsa sporting fraternity is prejudiced against the grapple art and thinks the game doesn't afford a person the opportunity to place his money judiciously.

While in New York and other Eastern points there is reported to be plenty of Flynn money in sight at 5 to 1 on the Pueblo gentleman, there are number of Tulsans who are making a point of hunting up anyone here who is reported as having Flynn money to pass out. While nothing better than even money on the mill is in sight locally, as yet, there is hardly a doubt that they will be given two or possibly three, to one, before the night of the fight.

Tulsans have already New York to see the fight, and are making preparations to leave within the next ten days.

The owner of one of the most prosperous "small" business concerns on Main street yesterday offered to bet his store and \$5,000 in cash on Morris at even money. The name of this man can be had on application to the World sporting editor.

But it is very likely that those who wish to place their money on the Tulsa mountain will have to journey to Kansas City or New York to satisfy their desire.

The big mill takes place just one week from next Friday night.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

TWILIGHT ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Country Club	8	3	.727
Elba	8	3	.727
Owen	8	4	.667
Newman	6	5	.545
Forest Park	7	6	.538
Toxaco	5	7	.417
Belleview	3	10	.231
Gulf	2	9	.182

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New York	76	45	.628
Chicago	71	46	.607
Pittsburgh	73	53	.579
Philadelphia	65	57	.533
St. Louis	64	59	.520
Cincinnati	56	64	.467
Brooklyn	49	72	.405
Boston	33	91	.268

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Philadelphia	44	44	.648
Detroit	37	50	.583
New York	37	50	.527
Cleveland	37	50	.524
Boston	33	56	.500
Chicago	31	58	.489
Washington	24	74	.417
St. Louis	27	86	.301

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Minneapolis	40	39	.575
Columbus	37	44	.546
Kansas City	34	50	.549
Indianapolis	38	71	.489
St. Paul	36	72	.478
Toledo	35	75	.464
Milwaukee	34	74	.463
Louisville	28	78	.443

WESTERN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Denver	30	44	.672
St. Joseph	25	59	.560
Pueblo	23	58	.557
Lincoln	21	61	.527
Omaha	18	68	.493
Sioux City	16	69	.489
Topoka	10	83	.376
Des Moines	10	94	.306

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New Orleans	20	51	.578
Birmingham	24	56	.569
Montgomery	29	55	.557
Nashville	24	59	.520
Chattanooga	23	64	.466
Memphis	18	68	.459
Mobile	16	56	.448
Atlanta	18	80	.375

SAME OLD STORY BY THE RUSSIAN 'LAMB'

HACK OFFERS \$91,000 FOR RETURN MATCH BUT REALLY DON'T MEAN IT.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 5. — George Hackenschmidt left for New York this afternoon after offering to post \$5,000 for a private return match with Frank Gotch. He was accompanied by American and Koch, two of his wrestling partners. Hack will sail from New York on September 9. Hack's offer for a return match with Gotch was offset by his contrary statement that after leaving New York he would never return to America. In the meantime the offer was carried to Gotch and accepted with the provision that the match be held within two months. This was not accepted by Hackenschmidt on the grounds that his injured knee would not permit his return to the ring in that time.

Gotch will leave for Humboldt, Ia., either Friday or Saturday. He was ready and eager to return tonight but his mother and wife were not ready to leave until they had done their fall shopping. Gotch's plans are incomplete but he stated today that he would not begin his world tour for several months. He wants to spend that much time in Iowa.

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LANGFORD HAD A HARD TIME OF IT

BOSTON "TAR BABY" KNEW JEANETTE WAS THERE.

HOBOKEN BLACK WENT 'IN'

Sam Was Scheduled for Knockout in Seven Rounds, But Joe Was a Little Too Clever.

By Associated Press.
Madison Square Garden, N. Y., Sept. 5.—Sam Langford won his ten-round bout with Joe Jeanette in the Madison Square Arena tonight, but every minute of the thirty in which blows were exchanged, the Boston man knew he had a stiff problem to solve. Jeanette fought gamely and cleverly. The Hoboken negro at no time was afraid of the Boston Terror, and frequently sent back better than he got.

It was a gruelling mill from start to finish and while it was fast and clever, the bout was somewhat of a disappointment to followers of pugilism. Langford was looked to for a knockout in seven rounds, but the fact that Jeanette pulled through for the limit, sent Langford stock as a likely opponent for Johnson was down.

A crowd that filled the Garden witnessed the bout, but the overcrowding of a week ago was avoided.

Round 1.—They went to close quarters with short arm blows, with honors even. Jeanette slipped to the floor, but was up in a moment. A light left hook sent Jeanette to the mat for a second. Langford worried him to the end of the round, which was the Boston man's.

Round 2.—Jeanette was quick after the gong rang, and after a few rapid exchanges, sent Langford down for two seconds with a left and right to face. Jeanette forced matters, and landed five straight lefts and rights, with Langford using body blows at close range. Jeanette's round.

Round 3.—Langford kept rushing, but Jeanette's foot-work bothered the Boston man. Sam sent a left and right to the face, with Jeanette breaking ground. At long range there were several wicked exchanges, but Langford's deadly left hook gave him the round.

Round 4.—Langford forced Joe around the ring, but missed half a dozen swings and hooks. After a rapid exchange of body blows, Langford hooked a left to the jaw and Jeanette went down for the count of eight. He stalled off the smaller man until the bell rang. Langford's round.

Round 5.—Langford was the aggressor, playing for the body with Jeanette vainly trying back hand swings. Langford had the better of the in-fighting and had the round easily on points.

Round 6.—Jeanette got Langford with a stiff left, but suffered for it by Langford's left hook to the body and neck and left hand smash over the right eye. Both were cautioned for holding. Langford's round.

Round 7.—Langford, with a left and right, forced Jeanette into a neutral corner. Jeanette broke ground and made Sam miss several swings. They exchanged several heavy lefts and rights to the head. Jeanette stood up gamely and out-boxed Langford, Jeanette's round.

Round 8.—Jeanette led, landing two lefts on the head. Langford sent a hard left to the body, but missed two swings at head. At close quarters Langford got to the body heavily but was beaten off again by lefts and rights to head. Jeanette's round.

Round 9.—Langford forced the pace but Joe put a couple of stiff lefts to the face. Langford jarred the big fellow with a hard left to the head. Langford's round.

Round 10.—Langford rushed like a demon, trying hard for a knockout. He forced the pace and sent Jeanette down for the count of three with a left smash on the jaw. Langford took a couple of hard punches in the wind but sent back a left and right with fierce force. He out-boxed Jeanette to the end and had the round and the fight.

GAMES TODAY.

TWILIGHT ASSOCIATION.

Belleview vs. Newcas, 5:30 p. m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

No games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis at Detroit.

Chicago at Cleveland.

Washington at Philadelphia.

New York at Boston.

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SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

Mobile at Birmingham.

Nashville at Chattanooga.

Memphis at Atlanta.

BUT WHAT'S THE USE?

By Associated Press.

Guthrie, Okla., Sept. 5.—

J. W. Hess, 73 years old, of

Columbus, Kan., a man who

said he never had been sick a

day in his life, dropped dead

in a park here today.

OPENED FOR BUSINESS MARCH 4TH, 1907.

Condensed Official Statement of the CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK of Tulsa.

At Close of Business September 1st, 1911

RESOURCES

Cash and Sight Exchange	\$ 342,540.79
Loans and Discounts, on time	509,229.99
Loans on Demand	305,633.30
Overdrafts	3,054.61
Due from United States Treasurer	1,250.00
United States Bonds	25,000.00
County and School Warrants and Bonds	71,494.93
Furniture and Fixtures	9,888.00
	\$1,268,091.62

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus and Profits, earned	107,883.00
Circulation	25,000.00
(Individual	\$772,185.57
Deposits (Banks)	22,097.06
(All other Deposits)	240,925.99
	\$1,268,091.62

Service of a prompt and personal kind makes evident our desire that a connection with our bank be a friendly and satisfactory one, and we ask an opportunity to prove its value. We cordially invite you to open an account with us, make use of our facilities and write or call regarding any banking or business matter that may interest you.

This Bank President Believes in Advertising

Today's Financial Announcements Calls to Mind a most Successful Financial Institution.

Did you read the advertisements of the Tulsa Banks and Trust Company in this morning's World? If you haven't done so, don't lay this paper down until you do because it will make you proud of the financial institutions of your town.

There is a banker in Hoboken, N. J., named C. H. C. Jagels.

He is a great booster and it follows that he is an advertiser, because no man can be a good booster unless he believes in advertising.

Jagels' bank was not going ahead as it should, so he decided to advertise.

He had made a success of a coal business through advertising and he applied the same principles to his bank.

The advertising made the bank grow and grow fast because in a short time it increased its deposits over a million dollars.

That is considerable growth, too, because Hoboken has a population

of only about 75,000, and there are quite a few banks there.

After the Second National Bank at Hoboken secured such a noticeable increase in deposits, the other banks discovered that advertising is a good thing.

They all advertise now.

The banks at Hoboken find it pays. So will banks everywhere—sooner or later.

Now!

If—

Banks can make money by advertising and they do, how much greater opportunity has the merchant to build his business through advertising?